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**New Jersey State Board of
Massage and Bodywork
Therapy Examiners**

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF MASSAGE AND BODYWORK
THERAPY

_____	:	Administrative Action
IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE	:	
APPLICATION OF	:	
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JONATHAN MALDONADO	:	CONSENT ORDER
	:	
TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND	:	
BODYWORK THERAPY IN THE	:	
STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of
Massage and Bodywork Therapy ("Board") upon review of Jonathan
Maldonado's application for licensure. Upon consideration of
the application and the results of the Criminal History

Background Check, it was ascertained by the Board that although the applicant had indicated he had no arrests in response to the questions relating to arrests on the application, he had been arrested on or about July 22, 2012 on charges of possession of marijuana in violation of N.J.S. 2C:35-10A(4). The charges were dismissed on July 24, 2012. The applicant claimed that he answered the question about arrests incorrectly because he believed that charges had been erased from his record.

The Board finds that respondent knew or should have known that by failing to disclose the recent arrest on the application in response to the questions about arrests and/or convictions he was providing inaccurate information, and that he therefore engaged in misrepresentation on her application in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

The Board finding that licensure as well as entry of the within order are appropriate, and sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 26th DAY OF July, 2013

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:


1. A \$100.00 civil penalty is hereby imposed upon respondent for the violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b). Payment shall be in the form of a certified check or money order, and shall be submitted along with this signed order.

2. The applicant's application for licensure shall be granted upon payment of all applicable fees and demonstration of satisfaction of all requirements for licensure, if he has not already done so.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF
MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY

By: 
Deborah Overholt
Chairperson

I have read and understand the
Within Consent Order and
agree to be bound by its terms.


Jonathan Maldonado